

Legislative File Number R-06-23 (version 1)

CITY of ALBUQUERQUE SEVENTEENTH COUNCIL

Approving And Authorizing The Filing Of The Attached Application For A Retired And Senior Volunteer Program Grant With The Corporation For National Service, Including Funds Allocated By The New Mexico Aging And Long - Term Services Department And Providing For An Appropriation To The Department Of Senior Affairs.

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WHEREAS, the 2000 census figures show that there are 84,591 persons age 60 years and over living in Bernalillo County which represents 15% of the County's populations; and

WHEREAS, the Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Department of Senior Affairs has developed a coordinated delivery system of services that meets the needs of senior citizens within the City of Albuquerque and Bernalillo County and

WHEREAS, the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program provides a variety of opportunities for persons aged Fifty-five (55) and over to participate more fully in the life of their communities through significant volunteer service; and

WHEREAS, the Corporation for National Service has allocated funds of \$53,895 and the New Mexico Aging and Long-Term Services Department has allocated funds in the amount of \$43,983 to the Department of Senior Affairs to meet the needs of the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Albuquerque is desirous of applying for these funds and contributed matching funds of \$110,139 City funds, which consists of \$9,495 for indirect costs, and \$100,644 City cash match; and

WHEREAS, the total cost of the project is \$208,017.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE:

Section 1: That the attached application for the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program grant in the amount of \$208,017 consisting of \$53,895 Federal funds, \$43,983 in State of New Mexico matching funds, \$110,139 of City cash funds is hereby made a part of the resolution. The submission and filing with the appropriate official or office of The Corporation for National Service and the New Mexico Aging and Long-Term Services Department is in all respects approved.

Section 2: That in the event this grant is awarded, funds in the amount of \$208,017

which consists of \$53,895 Federal funds, \$43,983 In New Mexico Aging and Long - Term Services Department matching funds, and \$110,139 of City funds from the Transfer to Operating Grant Fund Program in the General Fund, of which \$9,495 is for indirect costs are hereby appropriated to the Department of Senior Affairs Retired and Senior Volunteer Program in the Operating Grants Fund, Fund 265 for fiscal year 2006.